



John Spence

COMMUNITY HIGH SCHOOL

Dear Parent/Carer,

January is Futures Month at John Spence! Throughout the month, pupils in every year group will be discussing careers in lessons and form time, attending careers based assemblies and taking part in drop down events as full year groups.

The program has been carefully designed to deliver Careers Education, Information and Guidance which will be appropriate to each year group.

As part of our program, we would like all of our Year 10 students to attend the **North Tyneside Careers Fair** hosted by Burnside College. This will take place on **Wednesday 18th January**. Pupils will travel by coach to the venue in two halves. Group one will attend during period 3 and 4, and group two will attend during periods 4 and 5. Access to the dining hall will be provided.

There will be a wide range of local colleges and organisations present at the event, so please encourage your child to talk to as many as possible. I have attached a flyer for the event for your information.

Please remember to let the school office know if your contact details have changed, or your child has any medical needs that we need to be aware of.

I hope you will support the school with its Careers provision by encouraging your child to find out more about some of these organisations before visiting the Careers Fair, and I hope they find the day very useful.

Useful Websites:

Queen Alexandra Sixth Form - www.queenalex.co.uk/

Tynemet College - www.tynemet.ac.uk/

South Shields Marine School - www.stc.ac.uk/marine

Newcastle Sixth Form - www.newcastlesixthformcollege.ac.uk

Newcastle College - www.ncl-coll.ac.uk/

Connexions - skillsnorthtyneside.org.uk/connexions/

Kirkley Hall - www.northumberland.ac.uk/campuses/kirkleyhall-campus/

Apprenticeships - www.gov.uk/apply-apprenticeship

National Careers Service - <https://nationalcareers.service.gov.uk/>

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